

ATTENTION ALL MANAGERS:

We need your current e-mail address in order to send all league information plus updated rules, latest bat list, etc.

We will no longer have a Manager's Meeting so all correspondence will now take place in e-mail format.

Send your current e-mail address to Trini Sanchez-Blumkin at: tblumkin@ci.alameda.ca.us

IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE TEAM MANAGER TO:

1. Complete and return the official application by due date listed.
2. Pay entry fees by due date listed.
3. Complete team roster properly by printing or typing.
4. Pick up team schedules and playing rules.
5. Notify team players and sponsors of insurance and liability.
6. Supply ARPD with Manager's current e-mail address.
7. Furnish the Alameda Recreation and Park Department with all required information regarding your address, city, zip, and phone number; who your sponsor is and what your team name will be; the number of players on your team roster listing names, addresses, city, zip, phone number; and the total number of residents and non-residents.
8. Be familiar with and understand all rules and regulations and to be sure that your team members are also informed.

WHERE AND WHEN ARE GAMES PLAYED?

League Play begins the week of April 16, 2012

Monday through Friday Evenings: 6:30 p.m., 7:40 p.m. and 8:50 p.m.

Games are played at the following fields:

Leydecker, Upper and Lower Washington Parks

ARPD FIELD WEATHER HOTLINE **(510) 747-7540**

In case of inclement weather, please call the **"ARPD FIELD WEATHER HOTLINE"** - **(510) 747-7540 after 2:00 p.m. on the day of your game** to find out if fields are playable and if games are on.



ALAMEDA RECREATION AND PARK DEPARTMENT

2226 Santa Clara Avenue, Alameda, 94501

(510) 747-7529/FAX: (510) 523-4071

www.cityofalamedaca.gov/Recreation/Adult-Softball

MEN'S SOFTBALL SLO-PITCH LEAGUES



SPRING/SUMMER 2012

RETURNING TEAM INFORMATION

First preference is given to teams that were entered the previous year and in good standing. **Returning teams must return their application with a \$100 deposit by THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2012.** Old teams failing to reapply by this date will have to register as a new team and be placed on the waiting list. **New team registration will begin on MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2012.**

NEW TEAM INFORMATION

Registration for new teams will start on **MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2012 IN THE ALAMEDA RECREATION AND PARK DEPARTMENT OFFICE (2226 Santa Clara Avenue, Alameda) at 9:00 AM.** New teams are put on a waiting list and registered as to the date and receipt of their application and a \$100 deposit.

METHOD OF SELECTION

After teams from the previous year have had their chance to reapply, the method and priority of acceptance of new teams will be: **FIRST** - those Alameda sponsored teams having at least 50% Alameda residents; **SECOND** - those teams with 75% of their players who are Alameda residents; thereafter, all other applicants as may be necessary to complete leagues. **A minimum of 12 and a maximum of 20 persons is required on the official team roster.**

WHEN WILL TEAMS KNOW OF ACCEPTANCE?

All team applicants will receive a letter of acceptance or non-acceptance after **MONDAY, MARCH 12, 2012.**

WHERE AND WHEN ARE GAMES PLAYED?

League play will begin the week of April 16, 2012 at Leydecker, Upper and Lower Washington Parks.

HOW MUCH IS THE ENTRY FEE FOR THE MEN'S SOFTBALL SLO-PITCH LEAGUES?

10-Game Season:.....\$715 Resident Team

(2 Game Officials).....\$765 Non-Resident Team

12-Game Season:.....\$765 Resident Team*

(2 Game Officials).....\$815 Non-Resident Team*

Resident Team consists of 75% or more players who live in Alameda.

Non-Resident Team consists of 74% or less players who live in Alameda.

*12-Game/7 Team League will only be formed if necessary.

WHAT DOES THE ENTRY FEE PAY FOR?

Monies collected are used to pay for game balls, bases, lights, light replacement, awards and league administration.

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WHEN ARE ENTRY FEES AND ROSTERS DUE?

Once you have been officially accepted, the balance of your team entry fee will be due no later than **MONDAY, APRIL 9, 2012 BY 6:00 P.M. IN THE ARPD OFFICE.** Your **REMAINING BALANCE** will be (less \$100 deposit):

10-Game Season.....\$715 less \$100 deposit - \$615 Resident Team

(2 Game Officials)....\$765 less \$100 deposit - \$665 Non-Resident Team

12-Game Season.....\$765 less \$100 deposit - \$665 Resident Team

(2 Game Officials)....\$815 less \$100 deposit - \$715 Non-Resident Team

Completed team rosters must be turned in at the first game.

FAILURE TO PAY LEAGUE FEES BY MONDAY, APRIL 9, 2012 WILL RESULT IN YOUR TEAM BEING DROPPED FROM THE SCHEDULE

TEAM PLACEMENT

Team placement will be at the discretion of the League Coordinator.

CAN A PLAYER PLAY ON MORE THAN ONE TEAM?
YES! A player can play on as many teams as they want as long as they are not on the same nights.

CLASSIFICATION OF LEAGUES

Teams **MUST** complete the official application and nights and classifications forms. If accepted, every effort will be made to place you in your top choices. If we are unable to do so, we will contact you as to other alternatives. **THE DEPARTMENT TRIES TO PLACE TEAMS INTO LEAGUES ACCORDING TO AND COMMENSURATE WITH THEIR ABILITY.**

INSURANCE COVERAGE

The City of Alameda assumes no legal responsibility for personal injuries or thefts of private properties while on or using City facilities. Each individual and team is encouraged to provide for their own personal accident and liability insurance. Team Managers should notify their team sponsor regarding insurance coverage.

NOTE: IF YOUR TEAM IS ACCEPTED FOR PLAY AND YOU DECLINE, YOUR \$100 DEPOSIT IS FORFEITED